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For information on 2011 Consolidated Tribal Grants Application:  
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The U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) is pleased to announce that it is seeking applications for funding to improve public safety and victim services in Tribal communities. This solicitation furthers the Department's mission by providing federally-recognized Tribes and Tribal consortia an opportunity to develop a comprehensive and coordinated approach to public safety and victimization issues and to apply for funding to reduce and prevent crime and victimization. DOJ's existing Tribal government-specific programs are included in, and available through, this single Coordinated Tribal Assistance Solicitation.

# **U.S. Department of Justice Coordinated Tribal Assistance Solicitation**

## **Fiscal Year 2011 Competitive Grant Announcement**

### **Eligibility**

Only federally-recognized Indian Tribal governments, as determined by the Secretary of the Interior, may apply. This includes Alaska Native villages and Tribal consortia consisting of two or more federally-recognized Indian Tribes. Tribal designees are eligible participants for certain activities related to violence against women. (See pages 3-4 for a list of additional eligibility criteria and exceptions by Purpose Areas.) For a current (Friday, October 1, 2010) list of federally-recognized Tribes, see Vol. 75, No. 190 of the Federal Register, <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2010-10-01/html/2010-24640.htm>.

***All awards are subject to the availability of appropriated funds and to any modifications or additional requirements that may be imposed by law.***

### **Deadline**

Applicants must register with DOJ's Grants Management System (GMS) prior to submitting an application. Applicants should begin the process immediately to meet the GMS registration deadline, especially if this is the first time they have used the system.

*Note: This solicitation will be available in GMS from January 20, 2011 through April 21, 2011.*

(See "How to Apply," page 30)

All applications are due by 9:00 p.m. Eastern Time on April 21, 2011. Applications submitted after this deadline date and time will not be considered for funding.

**Note:** For applicants without Internet access who cannot submit an application electronically to DOJ's Grants Management System, please contact the Response Center at 1-800-421-6770 no later than March 21, 2011 to submit an application by alternative means.

**Important Warning!** Each Tribe or Tribal consortium will be allowed only one application submission. An application can be revised in GMS up until the application deadline, April 21, 2011. Please note that only the final version of an application submitted in GMS will be considered. If a Tribe submits more than one application, only one application will be considered in the review process.

(See "Deadlines: Registration and Application Submission," page 3)

### **Contact Information**

**Technical Assistance:** For technical assistance with submitting an application, contact the Grants Management System Support Hotline at 1-888-549-9901, option 3, or via e-mail to [GMSHelpDesk@usdoj.gov](mailto:GMSHelpDesk@usdoj.gov). The GMS Support Hotline is available Monday-Friday (except U.S. federal government holidays) from 6:00 a.m. to 12:00 midnight, Eastern Time.

**Programmatic Assistance:** For programmatic and general assistance with the requirements of this solicitation, contact the Response Center at 1-800-421-6770 or by e-mail at [tribalgrants@usdoj.gov](mailto:tribalgrants@usdoj.gov). The Response Center's hours of operation are Monday-Friday (except U.S. federal government holidays) from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Eastern Time. The Response Center will remain open on the solicitation closing date until 9:00 p.m. Eastern Time.

**Release Date: January 20, 2011**



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## OVW's New Programs

### Children and Youth Exposed to Violence Grant Program

The **Children and Youth Exposed to Violence Program**, created by the *Violence Against Women Act of 2005* (VAWA 2005), creates a unique opportunity for communities to increase the resources, services, and advocacy available to children, youth and their nonabusing parent or caretaker, when a child has been exposed to incidences of sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, or stalking.

### Court Training and Improvements Program

The **Court Training and Improvements Program** (Courts Program), created by the *Violence Against Women Act of 2005*, is designed to improve court responses to adult and youth domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking.

### Culturally and Linguistically Specific Services for Victims Program

The **Grants to Enhance Culturally and Linguistically Specific Services for Victims of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault, and**

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**Stalking (Culturally and Linguistically Specific Services Program)**, created by the *Violence Against Women Act of 2005*, will fund projects that promote the maintenance and replication of existing successful domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking community-based programs providing culturally and linguistically specific services and other resources. The program also will support the development of innovative culturally and linguistically specific strategies and projects to enhance access to services and resources for victims of violence against women.

#### **Engaging Men and Youth Program**

The **Engaging Men and Youth Program**, created by the *Violence Against Women Act of 2005 (VAWA 2005)*, will fund projects that develop or enhance new or existing efforts to engage men and youth in preventing crimes of violence against women with the goal of developing mutually respectful, nonviolent relationships.

#### **Services, Training, Education and Policies to Reduce Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking in Secondary Schools Grant Program (STEP)**

The **STEP Program**, created by the *Violence Against Women Act of 2005 (VAWA 2005)*, will support middle and high schools to develop and implement effective training, services, prevention strategies, policies, and coordinated community responses for student victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking.

#### **Services to Advocate for and Respond to Youth Grant Program**

The **Services to Advocate for and Respond to Youth Grant Program**, created by the *Violence Against Women Act of 2005 (VAWA 2005)*, will fund projects that design (or replicate) and implement programs and services-using established domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking intervention models-to respond to the needs of youth who are victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, or stalking.

#### **Sexual Assault Services Program**

The **Sexual Assault Services Program (SASP)**, created by the *Violence Against Women Act of 2005 (VAWA 2005)*, is the first federal funding stream solely dedicated to the provision of direct intervention and related assistance for victims of sexual assault. The SASP encompasses four different funding streams for States and Territories, Tribes, State Sexual Assault Coalitions, Tribal Coalitions, and culturally specific organizations. Overall, the purpose of SASP is to provide intervention, advocacy, accompaniment, support services, and related assistance for adult, youth, and child victims of sexual assault, family and household members of victims, and those collaterally affected by the sexual assault. The SASP supports efforts to help survivors heal from sexual assault trauma through direct intervention and related assistance from social service organizations such as rape crisis centers through 24-hour sexual assault hotlines, crisis intervention, and medical and criminal justice accompaniment. The SASP will support such services through the establishment, maintenance, and expansion of rape crisis centers and other programs and projects to assist those victimized by sexual assault.

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## Overhauling the System: A Long Term Plan to Address Detention in Indian Country

March 30, 2011

2:00–3:30 p.m. (Eastern Time)

Please join us for the first of four interactive, working webinars designed to focus on developing clear, concrete recommendations for inclusion in any long-term detention plan submitted to Congress under the Tribal Law and Order Act. The National Criminal Justice Association (NCJA) and the National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) will join BJA for these webinars, sponsored by a grant from BJA.

This four-part series will kick-off on Wednesday, March 30, with a webinar occurring every two weeks until

- **March 30, 2011—2 p.m.–3:30 p.m.—Overhauling the System: A Long Term Plan to Address Indian Country REGISTER NOW!**
- **April 13, 2011—2 p.m.–3:30 p.m.—Exploring New Approaches: Alternatives to Incarceration Centers, and Treatment Centers**
- **April 27, 2011—2 p.m.–3:30 p.m.—Bricks and Mortar: Facility Construction and Operation**
- **May 11, 2011—2 p.m.–3:30 p.m.—A Brighter Future: Pre-release and Reentry Into the Community**

(Please note, all webinars are eastern time.)

These detention-focused webinars are part of a larger webinar series that aims to enhance tribal and state law enforcement and the benefits of intergovernmental coordination.

The March 30 webinar will provide a brief overview on:

- The basic structure of the long-term detention report mandated by TLOA
- The process for input
- A summary of federal progress thus far

Following the introductory overview, the major focus of this working webinar will be to gather input and answer questions from tribal leaders, justice professionals, and various other stakeholders.

If you have questions, please contact Kay Chopard Cohen at [kcohen@ncja.org](mailto:kcohen@ncja.org) or Katy Jackman at [kjackman@ncja.org](mailto:kjackman@ncja.org) and forward to your participation!



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